This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Cancelled):
- (Cancelled):
- (Cancelled):
- 4. (Currently Amended): A compound of Formula I:

wherein

R¹ is alkyl having 1 to 8 carbon atoms wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂- groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C=Cgroups,

alkyl having 1 to 8 carbon atoms which is substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂-groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C=C- groups,

cycloalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms or combinations thereof.

a heterocyclic group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is an N, O or S atom which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, or combinations thereof.

aryl having 6 to 14 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

arylalkyl having 8 to 16 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof.

a partially unsaturated carbocyclic group having 5 to 14 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, alkyl, alkoxy, nitro, cyano, oxo, or combinations thereof,

arylalkenyl having 8 to 16 carbon atoms, wherein the alkenyl portion has up to 5 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof;

a heterocyclic-alkyl group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is an N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times in the heterocyclic portion by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, carboxy or combinations thereof and/or substituted in the alkyl portion by halogen, oxo, cyano, or combinations thereof or

cycloalkylalkyl having 4 to 16 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl or combinations thereof,

- R² is alkyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen;
- $$\begin{split} R^3 & \quad \text{is phenpropyl, } -C(O)R^4, -(CH_2)_nC(O)R^4, -(CH_2)_nOR^5, -(CH_2)_nSR^5, -(CH_2)_nSO_2R^4, \\ -(CH_2)_nNR^5R^6, -CH_2CO_2R^5, -CH_2CONR^6R^5, -(CH_2)_nNR^6SO_2R^4, \\ -(CH_2)_nNR^6COR^4, \text{ or } -CH_2CONHSO_2R^4; \end{split}$$
- R⁴ is alkyl having 1 to 12 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂- groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C=C- groups,

alkoxyalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂- groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C≡C- groups,

cycloalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl, or combinations thereof,

cycloalkylalkyl having 4 to 16 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl or combinations thereof,

aryl having 6 to 14 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonamido, arylsulphonamido, halogenated arylsulphonamido, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

arylalkyl having 8 to 16 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, aminosulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

a heterocyclic group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is a N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, aryl, alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, alkoxy, alkoxyalkyl, cyano, halogenated alkyl, halogenated alkoxy, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, aminosulphonyl, heterocycle, heterocyclic-alkyl, or combinations thereof, or

a heterocyclic-alkyl group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is an N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times in the heterocyclic portion by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, carboxy or combinations thereof

and/or substituted in the alkyl portion by halogen, oxo, cyano, or combinations thereof: and

R⁵ is alkoxyalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂- groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C=Cgroups,

cycloalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl, or combinations thereof,

cycloalkylalkyl having 4 to 16 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl or combinations thereof,

aryl having 6 to 14 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, alkylsulphonamido, arylsulphonamido, halogenated arylsulphonamido, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

arylalkyl having 8 to 16 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, aminosulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

a heterocyclic group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is a N. O or S atom, which

is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, aryl, alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, alkoxy, alkoxyalkyl, cyano, halogenated alkyl, halogenated alkoxy, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, aminosulphonyl, heterocycle, heterocyclic-alkyl, or combinations thereof, or

a heterocyclic-alkyl group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is an N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times in the heterocyclic portion by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, carboxy or combinations thereof and/or substituted in the alkyl portion by halogen, oxo, cyano, or combinations thereof;

R⁶ is H.

alkyl having 1 to 12 carbon atoms wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂-groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C≡C- groups,

alkyl having 1 to 12 carbon atoms which is substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂-groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or -C≡C- groups,

alkoxyalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, or combinations thereof wherein optionally one or more -CH₂CH₂- groups are replaced in each case by -CH=CH- or $-C\equiv C$ - groups,

cycloalkyl having 3 to 8 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl, or combinations thereof,

cycloalkylalkyl having 4 to 16 carbon atoms which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, oxo, alkyl or combinations thereof.

aryl having 6 to 14 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof,

arylalkyl having 8 to 16 carbon atoms, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, CF₃, OCF₃, alkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, nitro, methylenedioxy, ethylenedioxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, hydroxyalkyl, hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, cyano, acyl, alkoxycarbonyl, alkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, phenoxy, acylamido, and acyloxy, or combinations thereof;

a heterocyclic group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is a N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, alkoxycarbonyl, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, or combinations thereof, or

a heterocyclic-alkyl group, which is saturated, partially saturated or fully unsaturated, having 5 to 10 ring atoms in which at least 1 ring atom is an N, O or S atom, which is unsubstituted or substituted one or more times in the heterocyclic portion by halogen, aryl, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halogenated alkyl, nitro, oxo, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, carboxy or combinations thereof and/or substituted in the alkyl portion by halogen, oxo, cyano, or combinations thereof:

n is 0 or 1: and

pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

wherein when R³ is -CH₂CONR⁶R⁵, R⁵ is <u>not aryl or a heterocyclic group benzyl</u>, thiazolyl, benzonazolyl, benzthiazolyl, benzimidazoyl, benzothiazolyl, tetrahydroisoquinolinyl, thiadiazolyl, indolyl, indanyl, benzodioxanyl, -CH₂-benzothiazolyl, or -CH₂-pyridinyl, which in each case is substituted or unsubstituted.

- (Cancelled):
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- (Cancelled):
- (Currently Amended): A compound according to claim 4, wherein said compound is selected from:
- (4S) 1 [N (4,5-Dimethylthiazol) 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4-methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-1-[N-(3-phenpropyl)]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 4 (4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetra hydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2-phenoxyethyl)] 2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 4 (4-Methoxy 3 (3R) tetra hydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2-phenthioethyl)] 2-pyrrolidone,
- $(4S)\hbox{-}4\hbox{-}(4\hbox{-}Methoxy\hbox{-}3\hbox{-}(3R)\hbox{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}(N\hbox{-}1)\hbox{-}(N\hbox{-}2)$

phensulfonylaminocarbonylmethyl)-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S) 4 (4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2-

thiazolyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

- (4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-1-[N-(2-phenylsulfonylethyl)]-2-pyrrolidone,
- $(4S)\text{-}4\text{-}(4\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl})\text{-}1\text{-}[N\text{-}(2\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)$

methylphenyl)sulfonylaminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-1-[N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)oxyethyl)]-2-pyrrolidone, and

(4S) 1 [N-(2-(5-Chlorobenzoxazolyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (2-(Benzthiazolyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4 methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(48) + [N-(2-(6-Fluorobenzthiazolyl)] + (4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) + 2-pyrrolidone,

 $\label{eq:conditional} (4S) + [N-(2-(Benzimidazolyl)aminoearbonylmethyl)] + (4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2-pyrrolidone, and$

- (Currently Amended): A compound according to claim 4, wherein said compound is selected from:
- $\label{eq:condition} (4S)-1-[2-(3-Chlorophenoxy)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,$
- (4S)-1-[2-(4-Isopropylphenoxy)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N (4-methylbenzothiazol-2-ył)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 methylthiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone.
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N (6-methylbenzothiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pytrolidone,
- (4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N-(4-methoxybenzothiazol-2-yhaminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone.

- (4S) 1 [N (6 Ethoxycarbonylbenzothiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (6 trifluoromethoxylbenzothiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (4 tert Butylthiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone.
- (4S)-1-[2-(4-Isopropylphenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-1-[2-(3-Chlorophenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-1-[2-(2,3-Difluorophenoxy)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[2-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoguinolinyl)carbonylmethyll-2-pyrrolidone,
- $(4S)\text{-}4\text{-}[4\text{-}Methoxy\text{-}3\text{-}(3R)\text{-}tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl}]\text{-}1\text{-}[1\text{-}(1,2,3,4\text{-}1)$

tetrahydroguinolinyl)carbonylmethyll-2-pyrrolidone.

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone[,

- (4S) 1 [N (6 Fluorobenzothiazol 2 yl) N (methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-1-[2-(Benzothiazol-2-yl)oxyethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-1-[2-(6-Fluorobenzothiazol-2-yl)thioethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone.
- $(4S) \hbox{-} 1\hbox{-}[N\hbox{-}(6\hbox{-}Fluor obenzothiaz ol-}2\hbox{-}yl) a minoethyl] \hbox{-} 4\hbox{-}[4\hbox{-}methoxy\hbox{-}3\hbox{-}(3R)\hbox{-}white}]$
- $\label{prop:lem:norm} (48)-1-[N-(Benzothiazol-2-yl)aminoethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pvrrolidone,$
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-N-[2-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl]-4-phenoxybenzamide.
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 methylthiazol 2-

- yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (48) 1 [N (6-Chlorobenzothiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone.
- (4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N-methyl-N-(thiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 1 [N (Benzothiazol 2 yl) N (cyclopropylmethyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 1 [N (Indol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S)-1-[N-(Indan-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,

- (4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N-(4-phenylthiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyll-2 pyrrolidone.
- (48) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (6-methoxybenzothiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-N-[2-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl]benzamide,
- $\label{eq:condition} (4S)-2, 3-Difluoro-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-N-[2-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl]-benzamide,$
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-N-[2-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl]-4-methoxybenzamide.
- (4S)-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[2-(4-trifluoromethylphenoxy)ethyl]-2-pyrrolidone.
- (4S) 1 [N-(5-Cyclopropyl-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N-(Benzothiazol-6-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,

- (48) 1 [N (4 Ethoxycarbonylthiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone.
- (4S) 1 [N (5 tert Butyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (48) 1 [N Cyclopropylmethyl N (6 fluorobenzothiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone.
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-(2-oxo-2-phenylethyl)-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-(2-oxo-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl)-2-pvrrolidone.
- (48) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N (2,2,3,3-tetrafluorobenzo-1,4-dioxan-6-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 1 [N-(1,4-Benzodioxan-6-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (48) 1 [N-(4-(4-Fluorophenyl)thiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll-2-pyrrolidone.
- (4S) 1 [N (4,6-Difluorobenzothiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 1 [N (4 Carboxythiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- $\label{eq:condition} (4S)-1-[2-(2-Flurorophenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,$
- $\label{eq:continuous} (4S)-1-[2-(3-Flurorophenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,$
- (4S)-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[2-(4-methoxyphenylthio)ethyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-1-[N-(2,3-Difluorobenzyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S) 1 [N-(5-Cyclopropylmethyl-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone.

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(4S)-1-[N-(3-Fluorobenzyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone.
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(4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[N-(2-methylbenzyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S)-1-[N-(4-Methanesulfonylbenzyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]--4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S)-1-[N-(4-Aminosufonylbenzyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahvdrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone.

(4S)-1-[N-(Benzothiazol-2-yl)methylaminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S)-4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[N-(3-methylpyridin-2-yl)methylaminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 trifluoromethyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 vl)aminocarbonylmethyll 2 pyrrolidone.

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 pyridyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2-yi)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone;

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 (3 pyridyl)thiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone,

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 (2 pyridyl)thiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone.

(4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 (4 pyridyl)thiazol 2yl)aminocarbonylmethyll 2-pyrrolidone.

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 pyridyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2-vl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 ethoxycarbonyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyll 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 methoxycarbonyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyll 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (3,4 methylenedioxyphenyl)

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1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone
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(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (2 thienyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (2 thienylmethyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(48) 4-[4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1-[N-(5 (2-propyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (2-pyrazinyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone

(48) 4-[4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N (5-methoxymethyl-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-2 pyrrolidone

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (2 tetrahydrofuranyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 aminosulfonyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol-2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 methoxyphenyl) 1,3,4-thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(48) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 methoxyphenyloxymethyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4-[4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[N-(5-(4-

morpholinylcarbonylmethyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

 $(4S)\ 4\ [4\ Methoxy\ 3\ (3R)\ tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1\ [N\ (5\ (1-piperidinylearbonylmethyl)-1]$

1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4-[4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1-[N-(5-(1-pyrrolidinylcarbonylmethyl)-

1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 piperidinyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol-2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyll 2 pyrrolidone

(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll 1 [N (5 (4 (N-

tertbutyloxycarbonyl)piperidinyl) 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone

(45) 1 [N (2,3 Diffluorophenylaminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone, and

physiologically acceptable salts thereof, wherein in each case the compound can be in the form of a mixture of enantiomers such as the racemate, or a mixture of diastereomers, or can be in the form of a single enantiomer or a single diastereomer.

- (Previously Presented): A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of
 Claim 4 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- (Original): A composition of claim 10, wherein the compound is provided in a unit dosage of 0.1 - 50 mg.

Claims 12-27. (Cancelled):

- 28. (Cancelled):
- 29. (Cancelled):
- (Previously Presented): A compound according to claim 4, wherein R¹ is
 optionally substituted cyclopentyl, optionally substituted phenethyl, 3-tetrahydrofuranyl, CHF₂,
 or cyclopropylmethyl.
- $31. \qquad \hbox{(Previously Presented):} \ \ A \ compound \ according \ to \ claim \ 4, \ wherein \ R^2 \ is \ CHF_2$ and CH_3 .
- $32. \qquad (Previously Presented): \ A \ compound \ according \ to \ claim \ 4, \ wherein \ R^3 \ is (CH_2)_n OR^5, -(CH_2)_n SR^5, -(CH_2)_n NR^5R^6, -CH_2CO_2R^5, -CH_2CH_2CO_2R^5, -CH_2CNR^6R^5, -(CH_2)_n NR^6SO_2R^4, -(CH_2)_n NR^6COR^4, \ or \ -CH_2CONHSO_2R^4.$

- (Previously Presented): A compound according to claim 4, wherein R³ is CH₂CONR⁶R⁵.
 - 34. (Cancelled):
- 35. (Currently Amended): A compound according to claim 4, wherein

 R¹ is CHF₂ cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocyclic group, or heterocyclicalkyl group;

 R² is CH₃ or CHF₂; and

 R³ is CH₂CONHR⁵; and

 R⁵ is substituted or unsubstituted 1.3.4 thiadiazolyl.
- (Previously Presented): A compound according to claim 35, wherein R¹ is cyclopentyl, tetrahydrofuran, cyclopropylmethyl or CHF₂.
 - 37. (Currently Amended): A compound selected from:
 - (4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-2-pyrrolidone-1-acetic acid,
- $\label{eq:condition} (4S)-1-(N-Methoxycarbonylmethyl)-4-(4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-2-pyrrolidone;$
- (4S) 4 (4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2-methylphenyl (N-methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 2-pyrrolidone:
- (48) 4 (4-Methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2 (6-methylpyridyl) (N-methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (48) 4 (4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N-(phenylaminocarbonylmethyl)] 2 pyrrolidone;

 (48) 1 [N (3-Chlorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy-3 (3R)-
- tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone:

(4S) 4 (4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (3-methoxycarbonylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 2 pyrrolidone;

(48) 1 [N (2,3 Difluorophenyl (N ethyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (2,3 Difluorophenyl (N isopropyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4 methoxy 3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (2,3-Diffuorophenyl (N cyclopropylmethyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4-methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2-pyrrolidone:

(4S) 1-[N (4 Carboxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone:

(4S) 1 [N (3 Fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone:

(4S) 1 [N (4 Methoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R)

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-2-pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (2,6-Dimethylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(48) 1 [N (4 Isopropylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 4 (4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (3,4-methylenedioxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone:

(4S) 4 (4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2 (4-

trifluoromethyl)pyridyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1-[N (3 Carboxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone; and

physiologically acceptable salts thereof, wherein in each case the compound can be in the form of a mixture of enantiomers such as the racemate, or a mixture of diastereomers, or can be in the form of a single enantiomer or a single diastereomer.

(Cancelled):

- 39. (Previously Presented): A compound selected from:
- (4S)-1-[N-(2,3-Difluorophenyl)-N-(2-methylpropyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (4 Isopropyloxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (4 Fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- -(4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-1 [N (4-
- trifluoromethoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (3 Fluorophenyl) N (methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)
- tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone;

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll-2-pyrrolidone;

- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 methoxyphenyl) N-(methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (4 Isopropylphenyl) N (methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll 2 pyrrolidone:
- (4S) 1 [N (3,4 Methylenedioxyphenyl) N (methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
 - (4S) 1 [N (4 tert Butylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)
- (4S) 1 [N (2,4 Dimethoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone:
- (4S) 1 [N (3,5 Dimethoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (3,4 (Diffuoromethylene)dioxyphenyl) N methylaminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone:
- (48) 1 [N (3 Fluoro 4 methoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
 - (4S) 1 [N (2 Fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyll 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)

tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (3,4 Dimethoxyphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;

(48) + [N-(3,4-Diffluorophenyl) a minocarbonyl methyl] + [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] + [2-pyrrolidone;]

 $\label{eq:condition} (4S) \ 1 \ [N-(4\ Methanesulfonamidophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] \ 4 \ [4\ methoxy \ 3 \ (3R) \ tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] \ 2 \ pyrrolidone;$

(4S) 1 [N (3 Fluoro 4 methylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone,

(4R)-1-[N-(3-Fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3S)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone,

- (4S) 1 [N (4 Carboxy 3 fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (4 Ethanesulfonamidophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N (4 Benzenesulfonamidophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1-[N-(4-(4-Fluorobenzene)sulfonamidophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4-[4-methoxy 3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone;

(4S) 1 [N-(6-Ethylpyridin 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2-pyrrolidone:

(4S) 4 (4 Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1-[N-(4-ethoxycarbonylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl) 2 pyrrolidone.

(4S) 1 [N (4 tert-butyloxycarbonyl 3 fluorophenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone and

- 40. (Cancelled):
- (Previously Presented): A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of Claim 37 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
 - 42. (Cancelled):
- (Previously Presented): A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of
 Claim 39 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
 - 44. (Cancelled):
- 45. (Currently Amended): A compound according to claim 8, wherein said compound is selected from:
- $\label{eq:continuous} (4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-l-(N-phensulfonylamino-carbonylmethyl)-2-pyrrolidone; and$
- (4S) 4 (4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 1 [N (2 thiazolyl)amino-earbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone,
- (4S)-4-(4-Methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl)-1-[N-(2-methylphenyl)sulfonylaminocarbonylmethyll-2-pyrrolidone: [f,1]
- (4S) 1 [N (2 (6 Fluorobenzthiazolyl)aminocarbonylmethyl)] 4 (4 methoxy 3 (3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl) 2 pyrrolidone, and

- 46. (Currently Amended): A compound according to claim 9, wherein said compound is selected from:
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 methylbenzothiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone:
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 methylthiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone;

- (4S) 1 [N (4 tert Butylthiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R)tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll 2 pyrrolidone:
- (4S)-1-[2-(4-Isopropylphenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S)-1-[2-(3-Chlorophenylthio)ethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 1 [N (6 Fluorobenzothiazol 2 yl) N (methyl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll 2 pyrrolidone:
 - (4S)-1-[2-(Benzothiazol-2-yl)oxyethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-
- tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyll-2-pyrrolidone; and
 - (4S)-1-[N-(Benzothiazol-2-yl)aminoethyl]-4-[4-methoxy-3-(3R)-
- tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl]-2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] N [2 (2 oxopyrrolidin 1yl)ethyl] 4-phenoxybenzamide;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (4 methylthiazol 2yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone:
- (4S) 1 [N (5 Cyclopropyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (48) 1 [N (5 tert Butyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 4 [4 methoxy 3-(3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (48) 4 [4-Methoxy-3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5-trifluoromethyl-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2-pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 (4 pyridyl) 1,3,4-thiadiazol 2-yl)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone;
- (4S) 4 [4 Methoxy 3 (3R) tetrahydrofuranyloxyphenyl] 1 [N (5 methoxycarbonyl 1,3,4 thiadiazol 2 yt)aminocarbonylmethyl] 2 pyrrolidone; and